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UTAH.

Intense Excitement Among the Mormons.

OMAHA, Nov. 5.—Bishop Sharp of Utah, who passed through Omaha last evening, en route east, said the excitement over the persecution of the polygamists is deep and spreading. He also said that it was true that his course in pleading guilty and paying a fine promising to obey the law gained for him the enmity of the elders of the church and his former friends, with whom he associated for a lifetime, and men with whom he has long been linked in church work have turned against him. "I am now comparatively ostracised," said he, "but I acted according to the dictates of my conscience, and just as in all wisdom I should have acted. My letter, which I publlshed at the time, explains my position exactly. I do not renounce my religion or any part thereof. I simply gave up the practice of polygamy because the United States law forbids my indulging in it any longer. As long as I am a citizen of the United States I do not see how I can do otherwise. If I were unwilling to comply with the statute I would be at liberty to go outside of the United States limits and continue the practice of polygamy. As to any serious results from the present trouble I am unable to predict anything. There is some rebellious muttering in certain quarters, though others are inclined to acquiescence. The Mormons are stubborn, but when they are threatened with the penitentiary, as I was, it is reasonable to suppose they will come to their senses. The Edmunds law is a severe one, but it does exactly what it was intended to do. It sends men to prison when they refuse allegiance to the United States in declining to give up polygamous practices. I don't think this great issue will be satisfactorily disposed of until representatives of the United States and men of the Mormon church meet an discuss the matter as men of wisdom and justice should to devise some means of solving the question in as speedy a manner as possible."

BULLDOG KELLY.

He is Discharged from Custody and Immediately Re-arrested.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 10.—Bulldog Kelly was discharged on Saturday by the United States district court, and immediately re-arrested on another warrant, and is still held by the sheriff. The warrant charged Kelly with the murder of R. McG. Baird, in British Columbia, Nov. 7, 1884. Kelly appeared before Judge Nelson on Wednesday on a writ of habeas corpus. At the close of the evidence for the prosecution the defendant called a witness on his behalf, and objection being interposed by the prosecution was sustained. The court held that the commissioner undoubtedly erred in the matter. The defendant should have been permitted to introduce evidence according to the laws of the state. The commissioner failed to observe them, and the commitment of the prisoner was therefore illegal. He was entitled to be discharged unless the original warrant under which he was arrested was sufficient to hold him. The law under which the commissioner arrested does not show on its face that the commissioner is the officer authorized to act, and unless the warrant does show that he was so authorized, he was not empowered to act. The prisoner was therefore discharged. Immediately after the discharge, Kelly was re-arrested on a warrant issued by Commissioner Spencer, and a hearing will be had November 17.

BADGES FOR ALL SOCIETIES, police, firemen, &c.; also, presentation prizes or charms in gold, silver or metal, sold at society prices at the agents of the Universal Badge Manufacturing Co. Nathan Joseph & Co., 641 Clay St., San Francisco, California. Workmen, K. of P. and most any other solid gold badges, Price $1 each, sent by mail or C. O. D.
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ENGLAND WILL KEEP OUT OF THE EASTERN MESS.

Russia, Austria and Germany are the Powers that will be Involved.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The Times' London correspondent telegraphs, on the prospect of a general war: There is a belief here that England can keep out of the mess. Lord Salisbury while managing to throw the whole weight of this country against Russia, has not committed himself to continental action. Thus far he has created a leag which will crush Russia without compromising England as an active factor. Of course, if there is a grand attack on Russia, an itching desire here to join in the fray may very likely overweigh considerations of prudence; but there are no signs now that England is collecting allies whom she will lead to battle, as in the Crimea. The Russians are very anxious to keep England out of the quarrel. Their papers, for the last fortnight, have been filled with praise of English fairness in the settlement of the Afghan matter, which is probably the first time for a quarter of a century that Moscow has had soft words for London. The principal danger of England being dragged into the conflict lies in Armenia's entity, which she has guaranteed, and over which she has a nominal protectorate. The Russians have made a great fortress of Batoum, and the porte expects a descent in force from Kars, where an army corps of Russians is concentrated. In case of this, England would be called by her treaty obligations to intervene, but as far as Europe is concerned, the English burden of responsibility has been shifted to Austrian shoulders. Russian occupation of Bulgaria would be the signal for the swarming of Austrian white coats into Servia and Roumelia and for the bloodiest struggle Europe has had in many years. By to-morrow you may hear that Hungary is ablaze with enthusiasm as never before, and Berlin is ready to back Vienna, not only with sympathy, but with soldiers, if Austria needs them.

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway.)

ST. CATHARINES, Nov. 7.—It has just been made known that a couple of weeks ago one of the lock-tenders at Lock 12, old canal, found a dirk knife in the vicinity of the bridge near where the body of the unknown man was found a few days ago. In connection with this matter it is stated that some weeks ago loud cries were heard from a vessel passing through the Welland Aqueduct, and from the fact that the body was found in the canal, some have theories that a connecting link might be established. A second letter has been received from Mr. Hughes, of London, stating that he was in communication with his home, endeavoring to obtain a description of the clothing his brother had on when he disappeared, and would come to Merriton as soon as he received a reply.

The authorities of Laval University will call for plans for their new building, and will give prizes of a thousand, five hundred and two hundred dollars for the three plans which suit them best.

CHIPPEWA, Ont., Nov. 9.—Two Germans, aged about 20, were out in a boat on the Niagara river yesterday, and were carried over the falls. As they were nearing the rapids some boys tried to warn them, but they did not seem to understand what was said. Both were drowned.

OTTAWA, Nov. 9.—Captain Howard of gatling gun fame, is negotiating for the establishment of a cartridge factory at Lachute, Que. The municipal authorities offered him exemption from taxation for twenty years.

A young lady, Lizzie Nixon, of Montreal, jumped from a moving train here to-day and broke both legs below the knee.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—An old resident, James Johnson, a plasterer, dropped dead at breakfast table of heart disease.

ST. JOHN, Nov. 10 —The conservatives have nominated F. E. Barker, Q. C., to represent them in the coming election in the constituency of St. John, vacated by Sir Leonard Tilley. The liberals have not made their selection yet.

PRINCE ALBERT, Nov. 2 —By the explosion of a lamp the building owned and occupied by T. E Jackson, druggist, was burned down on Sunday night week.

REGINA, Nov. 6.—At the conclusion of Mr. Davin's lecture last night, the audience took advantage of the presence of Governor Dewdney to pass him, by acclamation, a cordial vote of confidence in his administration of the affairs of the North west Territories, and congratulation on the satisfactory state of the Indians.

GLYNDON, Nov. 10.—Mrs. Lane of Winnipeg, who was on her way in company with her husband to California, and who had her foot crushed by slipping off the car steps while the train was in motion, died this morning at 9 o'clock.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Anderson, D. D., first bishop of Rupert's Land, died last week at Clifton, England. Bishop Anderson held the see from its foundation in 1849 to 1865, when he resigned and was succeeded by the present bishop.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast-off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to
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OFFICE DIARIES, 1886, AT FERGUSON'S.

An American Steamship Project.

HUNTER'S POINT, L. I., Nov. 12.—A project for the establishment of a line of fast ocean steamers between Fort Pend bay, L. I., and a point on the west coast of Ireland is being actively pushed by President Corbin and directors of the Long Island railway. Plans are being prepared for a number of steamers of 7000 tons, to cost $1,500,000 each. A petition has already been prepared, which is intended to be presented to congress during the coming session, asking for a subsidy for carrying mails. It is proposed to have the line a strictly American one in every respect, the vessels to be constructed in American yards.

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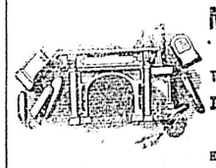
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Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, Nov. 18th.
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After using one box of Ayer's Pills I was quite well." C. F. Hopkins, Nevada City, Mo., writes: "I have used Ayer's Pills, and think they are the best in the world. They have cured me of Sick Headache and Neuralgia." W. L. Page, Richmond, Va., writes: "I have been a severe sufferer from Headache. Ayer's Pills afford me speedy relief." A. J. Forster, Dauphin st., Mobile, Ala., writes: "For a number of years I have been troubled with Constipation and Headaches. After trying a number of so-called Liver Invigorators, without benefit, I was at last

Cured by Using

Ayer's Pills." Rev. Francis B. Harlowe, Atlanta, Ga., writes: "For years I was subject to Constipation, from which I suffered increasing inconvenience, in spite of the use of medicines of various kinds. Some months ago, I began taking Ayer's Pills. They have entirely corrected the costive habit, and have vastly improved my general health." Hermann Bringhoff, jewelry engraver, Newark, N. J., writes: "Costiveness, induced by my sedentary habits of life, at one time became chronic and exceedingly troublesome. Ayer's Pills afforded me speedy relief, and their occasional use has since kept me all right." Ed. O. Easterly, Rockford, Ill., writes that he has been cured of chronic Constipation by the use of

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PARTICULAR NOTICE.

AS ANDREW JACKSON ESTES HAS REFUSED to pay house rent or support his family in future, this is to give notice that neither I nor any other member of his family will be responsible for any debts contracted by him; and I forbid any person or persons having, taking from or giving to the said A. J. Estes any money on account of any of my transactions without my written order, as he has no voice nor right to interfere in my affairs, and has been forbidden to come to my premises.
EMILY R. ESTES.
Victoria, Nov. 2nd, 1885. no3

NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS--POISON

$25 REWARD WILL BE PAID BY THE UNdersigned for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person found shooting pheasants or trespassing on the McNeil Estate. All persons are warned that POISON for Dogs has been laid on the estate.
W. McNEIL, Jr.
Victoria, 12th Oct., 1885. oct13 2m

NOTICE.

ALL OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS OWING TO me must be paid before December 1st, 1885, or legal proceedings will be taken to recover the same.
N. B.—Good endorsed paper bearing interest accepted.
oc6 2m SAM'L CLAY.

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IMPERIAL
FEDERATION LEAGUE
LIVERPOOL BRANCH.

THE OFFICES OF THIS BRANCH OF THE Imperial Federation League are now open at CHICAGO BUILDINGS, STANLEY ST, LIVERPOOL
All Colonists passing through Liverpool are cordially invited to make use of the rooms of the branch for correspondence and other purposes.
The publications of the League may be seen there, and all Colonial papers received are filed for reference.
The Committee will be glad of communications upon all matters of Colonial interest. Information will be gladly offered by the Hon. Secretary respecting Colonial Exhibition of 1886; the doings of the National Association for promoting State Directed Emigration and Colonization; the Movement for Improvement of Local Defence, and upon other matters of Colonial Interest. jy15dwtf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Victoria, Lake, North and South Saanich Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Tax.	Description of the Parcels, Sec. or Lots.	Amt.
Sullivan, Henry	Real Property	Part of Section 61, 2 acres, Victoria District	$ 1 95
Branch, Samuel	" "	Part of Section 23, 3½ acres, "	2 25
Pollard, Wm.	"	Lots 2 and 3, Section 4, 4½ acres, "	15 75
Smith, Phil.	"	Lot 24, Section 4, 914-1000 acres, "	1 80
Williams, R. T.	"	" 37, " 4, 2-433 acres "	8 00
do	"	" 38, " 4, 2-391 acres "	8 00
Draper, Catherine	"	" 2, " 5, 1 acre "	2 25
Porter, James	"	" 9, " 5, 2 acres "	4 50
Page, Sophia	"	Part of Lot 14, Section 5, ¼ acre "	1 65
Estes, Emily R.	"	" Section 7, 2 acres "	7 50
Wilson, Thomas	"	" " 10, 1 acre "	75
do	"	" " 11, 1 acre "	75
Green, R. E.	"	" " 19, ¾ acre "	1 50
do	"	" " 68, 1½ acres "	4 50
Huntington & Dalby	" and wild land	" " 31, 5 acres "	2 80
Unknown	" property	" Lot 23, Section 30, 4½ acres "	2 50
Watson A.	" and wild land	Lot 25, section 30, 3 acres, "	1 65
Mason, John	" "	" 27 and 28, Section 30. 6 acres "	8 25
Pendolo, Angelo F.	" "	" 50. Sections 29 and 30, 5 acres "	2 55
Fox, Charles	" property	" 4, Section 30, 14-92 acres "	5 00
Kwong Lee & Co (Fin.ten)	"	Part of Section 44, 6 acres "	
do do	"	Lot 15, 44 acres, "	9 00
do do	"	Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Sec. 44, 35½ ac. "	
Pung Tay	" and personal	Lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Sec. 44, 29 ac. "	
do	"	Lots 19, 20, 21 and 22, " 23 ac. "	12 60
Shepard, John S.	" and wild land	Lots 41 and 42, " 10 ac. "	3 15
Morrissey, Michael	" property	Part of Lot 2, Section 45 40 acres, "	4 00
Hind, Robert	"	Part of Section 63, 2½ acres "	2 50
Leary, William	"	" " 74, 6¢ "	2 75
Cook, John	"	" " 74, 1-6 "	38
Dupont, C. T.	"	" " 74, 5-79 "	15 00
Tway, John E.	"	N. part of Section 28, 67 acres "	8 00
Dillon, B F	Real and wild land	Sections 58, 61, 68, 69 and 71, 408 acres, Lake Dist.	30 00
Allsop, Thomas	" "	Part of Section 71, 3 acres, Lake District	45
Clarke, W. R.	" "	W. ½ of Section 72 and part of Sec. 73 and 74, 162ac. L. D.	11 22
Pitts, J. S. & Caton A J T		Sections 93 and 94, 241 acres, Lake District	17 46
Foot, William	Real property	Section 100, 101½ acres "	12 50
Maltby, Thomas & Richard	"	W. ½ of Section 108 22 acres "	1 65
Brown, J. H.	"	Sections 135 and 136, 118 acres "	8 00
Styles, S. T.	" and wild land	Section 61, 82 acres "	5 82
Scott, Edmund	" "	Section 3, Range I.E., 100 acres, South Saanich Dist.	8 25
Garrett, Joseph	" "	Section 41, 100 acres, Lake District	11 00

And, in accordance with the law, I hereby give notice that I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, any lands of persons assessed by me on which Taxes, including Personal Property tax, together with the cost of advertising and other expenses, remaining unpaid on the day of sale.

Under the Statute, persons liable to pay taxes imposed by the Assessment Acts are personally liable for the amount thereof, and all lands of such persons situate within the Province are also liable therefor. The taxes are a charge on such lands, having preference over any claim, lien, privilege, or incumbrance of any party, except the Crown, and does not require Registration to preserve it.

The above sale will take place on Monday, 7th December, 1885, at the Government Buildings, James' Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock noon.

C. BOOTH,
Victoria, B. C. 29th October, 1885. *Assessor and Collector.*

SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Barclay, Coast, Rupert, Sayward and Queen Charlotte Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Taxes	Description of the Parcels, Sections, or Lots.	Amt.
Pollard, William	Real and wild land	½ of N. E. ¼ of Section 18, 26 acres, Barclay District	$ 1 60
W. R. Clarke	" "	S.E. ¼ of Section 28, 150 acres, " "	9 75
Croasdale, H. E.	" "	Lots 2 and 3, Block 1, 45 acres, Coast District	23 70
do	" "	Lot 2, Range 5 160 acres "	
do	" "	Lot 10, Range 5, 160 acres "	
Dempster, W. H.	" "	Lot 15, Block 1, 109 acres "	10 40
Reid, James	" "	Lot 7, Range 2, 124 acres "	8 06
Clarke, W. R., and others.	" "	Lot 13 Range 1, 2,410 acres "	158 60
Clarke, W. R.	" "	Lots 14 and 15, Range 1, 1,026 ac. "	66 70
Wilson, J.	" "	Lot 6 Range 5, 15 acres "	97
McKenzie, Alexander	" "	Section 7, 1,103 acres, Queen Charlotte Island	71 70
Clarke, W. R.	" "	Section 2, 500 acres, Rupert District	32 50
Miller, James	" "	Section 14, 160 acres, Sayward District	10 40
do	" "	Section 24, 90 acres, "	5 85

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SALE OF LAND FOR TAXES.

Taxes remaining unpaid in Esquimalt, Highland, Metchosin, and Sooke Districts, on account of Assessment made in 1884. Tax collectible on and after 2nd January, 1885.

Name of Person Assessed.	Description of Taxes	Description of the Parcels, Sections, or Lots.	Amt.
Yee See Chung	Real property	Part of Lot 12, Sub. Lots 19 and 21, Esquimalt Dist.	$ 3 00
Gossett, W. D	"	Lot 21 " " "	1 50
Dall, W. L	"	¼ of Sub. Lot 34, 1⅝ acres "	
do	"	" " 33, 1⅝ " "	
do	"	" " 49, 3½ " "	10 50
do	"	½ of Lot 1, Sub. Lot 51, ¾ acre "	
Trounce, Thomas	"	Lot 7, " 43, "	37
Chilovick, E.	"	Lot 18, " 43, "	
do	"	E. ½ of Lot 24 and all of 25, Sub Lot 43, "	1 12
Powell, I. W., Dr.	"	Lots 1 and 2, Sub. Lots 45 and 37, "	
do	"	" 23, 24, 46, 47, 48, 49, Sub. L. 45 and 37, "	
do	"	" 85, 86 and 87 " " "	6 32
do	"	" 2, Section 26, 1 acre "	
Scanlan, Timothy	"	Lots 31, 32, 33, 34, 40, 41, 42, 43, S. L. 45 and 37, E. D.	2 40
Young, Emily Mrs.	"	Lot 22, Sub. Lots 19 and 21, Esquimalt District	7 50
Bruce, Josephine	"	W. ½ of Lot 5 and E. ½ of L. 6, Sec. 31, Lime Bay, E.D	75
Nagle, Jeremiah, estate of	"	W. ½ of Lot 6 and all of Lot 7 " "	62
"	"	W. ½ of Lot 7, Sub. Lot 51, Esquimalt District	75
Tuttle, Guy	"	Part of Lot 18, Section 31, Lime Bay, Esquimalt Dis.	45
Nagle, C.	"	" 20, " " "	37
Orr, Cyrus	"	" 22, " " "	37
Harvey, C. B. H.	"	Lots 22 and 26, " " "	75
Prothers, Catherine	"	Lot 51, " " "	38
Reid, Robert	"	Lot 27, " Victoria West "	5 00
Gerow, G. C.	"	Lots 37, 37a, 38, 49 and 49a, Sec. 31, Victoria W., E.D	3 00
Clarke, W. R.	"	Lots 53 and 55, Sec. 31, Victoria west, Esquimalt Dis	75
Wark, Margaret	"	N. ½ of Lot 61 " " "	1 30
Wren, John, estate of	"	Part of Lot 72 " " "	38
Tatlow, R. G	"	Lots 105 and 106 " " "	75
Butcher, T H.	"	Sub.-Div. 26 of Lot 104 & 27 of 113, Sec. 31, V. W., E.D	25
Tatlow, R. G	"	Lots 117, 118, 119 and 120, S. 31, Vic. W., Esqu. Dist.	1 50
do	"	Lots 153 and 154, Sec. 31, Victoria West, Esqu. Dist.	75
Beaumont, William	"	1 acre of Sec. 31, Springfield Estate, Esquimalt Dist.	1 50
Burrows, J. G.	"	Lot and 2, 1 part of 5 and all of 6, Sec. 32, S. of old rd	7 80
Keller, J. P.	"	4 acres of Sub. Lot 50, Esquimalt District (E. D.	20 36
Sandford, B. H., estate of	"	Section 64, 99½ acres, Esquimalt District	3 00
Maltby, Richard	Real and personal	" 2, 6 and 9, 323 " Highland District	12 25
Maltby, Thomas estate of	Real property	" 5, 65 " "	1 50
Porter, Joseph	"	" 29, 89 " Sooke District	2 63
Baker, Thomas	"	" 24, 100 " "	3 00
Saunders, Henry	Real and wild land	" 30, 31 and 48, 368 acres "	27 61
Salmond, William	" "	" 37, 143 " "	9 38
Kaye, F.	" "	" 62 and 68, 143 " "	10 33
Cartwright, William	Real property	Pre-emption No 1,516, 73 " "	2 25

And, in accordance with the law, I hereby give notice that I shall offer for sale, by Public Auction, any lands of persons assessed by me on which taxes, including Personal Property Tax, together with the cost of advertising and other expenses, remaining unpaid on the day of sale.

Under the Statute, persons liable to pay taxes imposed by the Assessment Acts, are personally liable for the amount thereof, and all lands of such persons situate within the Province are also liable therefor. The taxes are a charge on such lands, having preference over any claim, lien, privilege, or incumbrance of any party, except the Crown, and does not require Registration to preserve it.

The above sale will take place on Monday, 7th December, 1885, at the Government Buildings, James' Bay, Victoria, at 12 o'clock, noon.

C. BOOTH,
Victoria, B. C., 20th October, 1885. *Assessor and Collector.*

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A TERRIBLE SCANDAL.

J. H. Mitchell is a well known lawyer of Portland, and also an ex-U. S. senator. He was elected some years ago as U. S. senator for Oregon, afterward sought re-election and was defeated, and lately has again submitted his name for nomination for the same office. This last act has been the signal for the Oregonian to open out upon him, and it has done so in a way that has set all Oregon agog. In its issue of Saturday last, devoting something like four columns to the subject, that journal describes Mitchell as the most degraded and corrupt politician who ever disgraced a legislature. Passing from this it boldly charges that he has rendered his private life one long record of fraud, dishonor and infamy, that his conduct has been hideously criminal; that he was bigamously married in Oregon, and that the vows he then made as a husband he has since systematically violated, and that his duties as a father, as a citizen and as a member of society have been with him as but empty sounds. He is deliberately charged with having plied his sister-in-law, while under his roof, with all the arts of the practiced seducer; that he dealt with her as a libertine would; and, to crown his villany, the better to carry out his purposes, promised her that he would put away his wife who had borne him children and marry her (the sister) instead. Mitchell was at this time a man tending towards forty years of age, and had become the father of two families. In Pennsylvania, his native state, he married a young girl, and deserting her afterwards, came to Oregon under the name of John H. Mitchell (his real name is John Hipple) and continued the practice of law; and it was upon the scandal following the discovery of his alias that he was rejected when seeking re-election as senator. To substantiate the charges it now makes the Oregonian publishes the contents of the letters from the alleged originals which Mitchell addressed to his sister-in-law. They are couched in the most affectionate and extravagant language and describe his misery at her absence, and of having to live with one other than herself for wife. Commenting upon the letters, the Oregonian, after calling him a scoundrel, a corrupt intriguer, a debauchee and a disgrace to humanity, proceeds: "Such things are a 'trade' with him. He could exchange one wife for another, repudiate women who had borne him children, swap families, seduce a sister-in-law, convert his own house into a stew, permit dishonor in domestic affairs to traffic with his nature, and at the same time could talk with snivel and cant about 'happiness' and 'heaven.' It was 'hell' at home—and small wonder." He is dared to refute the authenticity of the letters, and the paper declares that should he do so they will be engraved and *fac similes* of them published, so that the handwriting can be judged. He is further dared to arrest the publishers and editor for criminal libel, and the latter, while mentioning that it is out of the Oregonian's power to take the matter into the courts, such is legitimately within the province of Mitchell. To these scathing charges Mitchell came out in a long letter denouncing them as entirely unfounded, and the letters as base forgeries from the pen of some designing person well acquainted with his handwriting. He lays stress on the fact that one letter speaks of his having been admitted to the bar in 1870, whereas he practiced law in Pennsylvania so far back as 1856, and was admitted to the bar in Oregon in 1860, and concludes by stigmatizing the whole exposé as the outcome of the personal malice of Harvey W. Scott, (editor of the Oregonian), who Mitchell states, was removed from office as collector of the port of Portland for unlawfully retaining certain moneys of the United States This letter of Mitchell's which appeared in the Portland News, was immediately copied into the Oregonian in which column after column was devoted to the scandal. It re published its previous account, telegraphed the whole series of letters unabridged to the Chicago Tribune, gave a full explanation of Mitchell's countercharge and published in duplicate in different parts of the paper what is perhaps the strongest leader that ever appeared in that journal, and headed "A Loud Call to J. H. Mitchell." "What more," it asks therein, "could a newspaper publish about a man that could possibly put upon him so deep a brand of infamy?" It reminds the subject of the attack that if it has not told the truth he can arrest the proprietors of the paper, strip them of their property, cause them to be adjudged criminals and utterly ruin them, and finishes the sentence with "J. H. Mitchell, do you hear this call?" Again, "Will you cause the arrest of the editor of this paper for criminal libel? He will put you on the stand and ask you if you wrote those letters? If 'yes,' then enough has been said. If 'no,' you will be prosecuted at once for perjury and landed in the penitentiary where you belong. J. H. Mitchell, will you cause this arrest? *Liar and scoundrel! You dare not do it!*"

Taken altogether, the political and social outlook for Mr. J. H. Mitchell (J. Hipple) is rather black. Though it by no means follows that the accused is guilty it cannot be said that he has been or is being condemned unheard; for to the long reply made by him all publicity was given. That reply, if considered as a refutation of the Oregonian's charges, is eminently unsatisfactory and rests merely on denial unsupported, as his accusers do not fail to remark, by the course that an honorable man so grossly libelled would not fail to take. Mitchell, in appearance, is tall with dark hair, a thoughtful expression of countenance, and a winning manner. His present age must be a little over fifty years, and he has for years conducted a lucrative legal practice. In an apparently evil moment he allowed his name to be put in nomination for senator with the above result. After the damaging revelations that have been made concerning his private life he is certainly "entitled to the floor." Whether he will avail himself of the numerous opportunities that will be afforded him, or whether, if he does so, he will refute the charges to the satisfaction of the legislature and the general public of Portland remains to be seen.

THE COAL HARBOR ADVOCATE.

The Times has dropped the mask with which for a time it contrived to hide the object that called it into being, and came out last night as an out-and-out advocate of the claims of Coal Harbor to the leading commercial position in the North Pacific. Now, no one could possibly object to our contemporary doing all in its power to dispose of the Coal Harbor town lots with which, from editor to "devil," it has become possessed, provided those exertions were made somewhere on the shores of Burrard Inlet; but is it not taxing the patience of the Victoria public to an unbearable extent to ask them to sustain in their midst a paper that has for the avowed purpose of its existence the building up of a rival town at Coal Harbor? We do not, of course, intend to exchange personalities with the Times; but were we disposed to do so it would be very easy to turn the strongest point in its article against itself. For example: The Times claims that *The Colonist* attacks the Coal Harbor scheme because its editor was not allowed to enter the syndicate upon his own terms. This is untrue; but if we felt disposed to retaliate (which we do not) we would say that because the Times' people were allowed to enter the syndicate at bedrock, therefore they are found touting the property. We might go even further, and point to the bootless errand of its editor to the eastern provinces—armed with maps and plans of a townsite on Burrard Inlet—to show how thoroughly committed that journal is to the task of building up a rival city to Victoria at Coal Harbor. But we shall not. Our purpose now is briefly to reproduce (which is done below) Mr. Van Horne's own words with respect to the future of Coal Harbor. We have stated in a previous article that the bargain made by Mr. Van Horne was a hard one. We desire to take that back and to amend by stating that it was an *excellent* arrangement—for the railway! To a disinterested spectator it seems almost like a man who has parted with the front of his lot for the privilege of being allowed to retain the rear. *The Colonist* is not surprised to find itself the object at which the shafts of malevolence are leveled. Every mushroom paper that has been started in this city for the past twenty years has taken a shy at *The Colonist*, and why should the little Times be deprived of the opportunity while it lasts? Only we must be excused if we refuse to return the missiles. There is really but one charge of our contemporary which we deem worthy of notice, and to that there is an answer at hand so full and complete that it is matter for surprise it was ever preferred. It is stated that we have distorted facts for the purpose of casting doubts on the permanency of Coal Harbor. Listen to the following extract from the report of an interview which the editor of this paper had with Mr. Van Horne; and then let any person who has not sunk his money in Burrard Inlet say whether doubts were raised by us or by Mr. Van Horne:

The Editor—Will the actual terminus be at English Bay or Coal Harbor?

Mr. Van Horne—The actual terminus will be Burrard Inlet. The whole south side of the inlet from Port Moody to and including English Bay will be utilized for terminal purposes. The nature of the water, which deepens rapidly on leaving the shore, will necessitate the erection of docks all along the south shore. Manufacturing will probably be carried on at the head of the inlet. Our contract with the provincial government for the conveyance of the land involved in the extension is practically consummated. The first wharves will be built on Coal Harbor, and English Bay will be attended to later.

The Editor—Would a breakwater at English Bay be a costly affair?

Mr. Van Horne—A breakwater is not required there. The wharves and slips will in themselves form a sufficient breakwater. The bottom is of sandstone, and with properly shaped docks vessels would not be disturbed at all. Observations have shown that there is not much ground swell there. English Bay is no more exposed than Port Arthur, and at the very worst floating breakwaters would answer every requirement.

Municipal Police Court.

[Before Mr. Edwin Johnson, P. M.]

November 17, 1885.

Three or four cases of Indian drunkenness having been dealt with, two Chinese, Ah Yin and Ah Hin, were charged with fighting on the streets. Hin was discharged, and (although it does not sound grammatical) Yin was fined $5.

James T. Porter (Queen Chop House) was charged with selling an intoxicant during prohibited hours. Officer Whittaker deposed to the effect that on Sunday morning his attention was called by Wm. McKeon, jr., (Oriental Hotel) to the fact that two men were drinking an intoxicant in defendant's premises; looked through the glass windows and saw the men drinking something. Mr. McKeon having corroborated this, the defendant deposed that he had not the slightest intention of evading the law; the men were guests of the hotel, and he had merely served them with refreshments, both solid and liquid. The magistrate dismissed the charge.

Edward Ferris, for leaving his horses unattended, was fined $10.

Alleged Embezzlement.

W. Cumyow was charged with fraudulent embezzlement before Mr. Edwin Johnson at the police court yesterday afternoon. Mr. C. E. Pooley (Davie & Pooley) for the prosecution; Mr. Bodwell (Mr. T. Davie) for the defence.

Wong Song Chue deposed that defendant was employed by him, in the King Tye Company, between May, 1884, and September 18th, 1885 Defendant was general clerk or person who carries on business with foreigners. He was authorized to collect moneys due the firm when permission was given him to do so and pay it over to the book-keeper. (To Mr. Bodwell)—Nobody could get to the drawer where money collected during the day was kept except the book-keeper. In no instance money collected was deposited in the drawer without having passed through the book keeper's hands. No one but the book-keeper made payments from the drawer except in cases where petty cash was disbursed by anyone temporarily supplying the book keeper's place.

After hearing the evidence of Low Sing Sam, his honor remanded the case until to-day, allowing the prisoner to find two sureties, or himself, in the sum of $750.

The Babies Cry for It,

And the old folks laugh when they find that the pleasant liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, is more easily taken and more beneficial in its action than bitter, nauseous medicines. It strengthens the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels, while it arouses them to a hearty activity. For sale by Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria. 6dw

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LONDON HOUSE,
Government street.

Mr. Barnard's Offer.

TO THE EDITOR:—I desire to thank Mr. F. S. Barnard for his benevolent offer to purchase my lots at the terminus city—which is going to be—at a price which is more than satisfactory to me. I feel so glad of the chance of disposing of them to him that I pardon his expressions referring to myself of "funks his venture" and "mournful wail," although I would have preferred that he had not disfigured his generous proposal with expressions which do not strike me as flattering.

A real estate agent to whom I showed Mr. Barnard's liberal offer and asked him to make the sale for me was so discourteous as to laugh at me and say, "Don't make yourself ridiculous. Barnard does not want to buy land at Burrard inlet; he is stuck with a lot of it and has been trying to sell for a long time, but there are no purchasers, so don't go near him, for he is only bluffing you. This information was a disagreeable surprise to me, for when I read Mr. Barnard's letter I was, I confess it, simple enough to think he meant what he said. I am most anxious to sell; but I don't want to call on Mr. Barnard and expose myself to abuse and then be told the lots are not as near the Hastings mill and Granville as he thought, or some such quibble, to escape purchase. I could stand a great deal if I could dispose of the lots, but to take the risk of being laughed at and not make a sale, I do not care for. The mistake I made, Mr. Editor, was in buying the lots on rose-colored misrepresentations. When I went up to look at them afterwards I had enormous difficulty in finding them, and when I found them I wished I had never seen them and never had anything to do with them. My God! what stumps, and what a number of them! I never before felt impressed with the grandness of savage nature and the insignificance of man and his powerlessness to grapple with these immense monuments of a departed forest to clear them and build in their place a city than when I gazed at my lots. If I had had a pistol with me I believe I should have committed suicide right there.

I must not, however, allow my impressions to trespass too much upon your space; besides, my agent urged me to keep my ideas to myself or I would interfere with the sale of my lots. As I mean business, I make this proposition to F. S. Barnard: I, to hand you the papers connected with my lots; he, to place twelve hundred and fifty dollars in your hands, which you are to retain until the sale is completed, when I take the money and F. S. Barnard the lots.

According to Mr. Van Horne the south side of the inlet is to be all terminus, and Vancouver City, with offices, wharves, hotels, workshops, switches, etc., scattered promiscuously in different parts of it; there is no choice between one lot and another, as it is all blind chance as to which may be the most valuable from English Bay to Port Moody. Such being the situation, my lots being in the city limits and, I may say centrally and favorably situated, F. S. Barnard need not raise any frivolous objection about their nearness to Granville, but can buy with the confidence that if the city grows, as represented by Mr. Van Horne, he will have made a profitable purchase from me.

AN UNFORTUNATE INVESTOR.

Is Poverty a Crime?

TO THE EDITOR:—It would appear that the "three cheeky vags," so styled by the Times, who insidiously poses as the poor man's friend) who were arrested last week in Mr. Finlayson's barn, and sentenced to one week's imprisonment with hard labor, for daring to prefer a bed in the loft of the rich man's barn to that of lodging beneath the sidewalk or in the gutter (in which case they would have been equally liable to arrest) were reported to be fairly intelligent, but with the exception of $2 95, a ticket to San Francisco, and a sailor's knife, were entirely penniless. It does not appear from the report that these men were shown to be vicious or bad characters in the slightest degree, their only crime appears to have been that of an attempt to preserve their bodies from the chilling blasts and drenching rains which prevail at this season of the year. Self preservation is the first law of nature, and, no doubt it was this law that prompted those poor men to take up their abode in the rich man's stable in preference to "sticking up" some one to obtain the wherewithal to obtain shelter. The good Master relates a parable, "There was a certain rich man which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and there was a certain beggar named Lazarus who desired to be fed from the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table." This was a long time ago, but the parable still holds good, only it is no longer a parable. It is a stern reality now. The rich man must be protected, even to the crumbs which fall from his luxuriant table, while the poor man, "cheeky vag," still languishes in prison, where not even the dogs are permitted to lick his sores. Wonder if there is any heaven for the "cheeky vag," any spot on earth where, day or night, he may rest his weary step, free from danger and with no fear of being snaked off to prison to be relieved off his last $2 95. A very logical remark was that of the "vags," that when released from prison they would be in a worse plight than ever. With no money, no friends, and with the prison stigma upon them and unable, perhaps, to obtain employment, in humanity's name we ask what is to become of these unfortunate "vags?" It may be all well enough to compel them to go to work if work is to be had outside of the jail, and if not it may be good policy to lock them up. But is it a Christian act; is it humanity to associate these poor men, whose only crime appears to be poverty, with Indian whisky fiends and the lowest order of cut-throats, compelling them to work and instead of paying them for their labor stripping them of their last cent and finally turning them out penniless, friendless and hopeless upon the street to steal or starve! Verily it hath been said, "To him that hath it shall be given, but from him that hath not it shall be taken away, even that which he hath. The Times is right when it says "Victoria should not have to feed so many Seattle and San Francisco paupers;" but would it not be better to station an officer at the boats on their arrival and permit only those who can give satisfactory proof of their ability to support themselves to land, than to first permit them to land, take what little money they may have from them, thereby depriving them of the means to leave the country, and then tell them to get! FAIR PLAY.

A LARGE WHITE SWAN, in capital condition for stuffing, is at Beauchamp's, Yates street. Tourists should purchase this rare bird. A fine lot of ducks and grouse and fat venison on hand. *

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White Men and Chinamen.

TO THE EDITOR:—I see one of your correspondents "Veritas" takes "Another W." to task for false assertions as to the local government sympathizing with the Chinese. I wonder "Veritas" omitted to mention the fact that the local government stipulated with the Canadian Pacific railway company that on the English Bay and New Westminster extensions only white labor should be employed. This is convincing proof of the anti-Chinese attitude of the local government. It seems to me that in this action they have shown more energy than the Knights of Labor who neglected the opportunity of interviewing Van Horne and Donald Smith when here on the Chinese question. By calling on these gentlemen they had a chance of doing more for workmen out of employ than by wasting their time parading about with torches and a brass band, and passing a string of resolutions which have no practical value.

If there are more Knights of Labor wanting wages than there are people to employ them, why do they not show as much pluck as Chinamen, and pitch into something on their own account? There are plenty of resources in British Columbia waiting for men to develop them; land to clear and cultivate and mines to work, for the taking up. Surely, if the despised Chinamen can grow vegetables, drain land and reclaim it, and go into mining, the superior white man can do the same. British Columbia is not like Europe or the eastern states, all owned by bloated monopolists who have the workingmen in subjection. Here there are square miles for nothing for every man who chooses to take them and no man need work for another under the pressure of necessity.

There are, I admit some men who have become "hostages to fortune" by having a family to support. These cannot very well start in on their own account, but the majority of men in this province are single. There are plenty of situations in Victoria for the married, if the single Knights of Labor will only act unselfishly, throw up their situations and let the married men have them. Let the single men do as many of us did in the early days of California, and in 1858 and 1862 in British Columbia, drop the idea of working for wages and work for themselves. It is a shame to white men to see, as I have seen, thousands of Chinamen doing well on the bars of Fraser river, from Quesnelle to Hope, and Knights of Labor complaining in Victoria of nothing to do. Look at Granite creek to-day. How is it that Chinamen are there in hundreds, some of them taking up the best claims? Cannot white men do this as well as Chinamen? Perhaps some may say they have not the money. If so ask my fellow workman whose fault is that? Have you not earned good wages in your time? What have you done with them? Give an honest answer even if you condemn yourself. Every year whilst the C. P. railway has been building the customs returns show over three hundred thousand dollars worse than wasted in intoxicating drinks. A worse enemy to the workingmen than John Chinaman, is whisky. If the Knights of Labor are in earnest and in truth desire the elevation and advancement of workingmen, let them place on their banner, TEMPERANCE, insist upon every member taking the pledge and unite with those who, in the eastern provinces and here, are laboring in the holy cause of prohibition.

A TOTAL ABSTAINER.

YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

VIENNA, Nov. 17.—Prince Alexander of Bulgaria has appealed to the powers to see that Bulgaria has fair play. He says Bulgaria has not violated the integrity of Turkey, because Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia belong to Turkey, while Servia is an independent state and violates the integrity of Turkey for territorial aggrandizement, at the expense of Bulgaria, to satisfy Servian ambition and egotism.

BELGRADE, Nov. 17.—Gen. Topalovitch, with the Moravian division, had a desperate battle with the Bulgarians at Tren, where the latter were totally defeated. The Servian troops fought with great gallantry, and they captured two guns and many prisoners. Three battalions of Bulgarians were surrounded and a battalion of Bulgarian volunteers, stationed at a point on the Timok river capitulated without firing a gun, to Col. Djukuitch, commanding the Servians in the Timok division. The Bulgarians yesterday evacuated their fortified position at Dragoman, which the Servians attacked on Sunday.

The Servian division in marching on Widdin, gave battle to the Bulgarians near Widdin, and inflicted upon them a crushing defeat. Loss, heavy on both sides. The Servians captured one thousand prisoners.

ATHENS, Nov. 17.—The invasion of Macedonia by the Greek army is imminent.

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—The Post says that only Austria was able to perform a task unpleasant to her of restraining Servia. The result of the present complications will be a Russian descent on Bulgaria. If Turkey interferes Mr. Gladstone will raise the cry of Turkish atrocities and upset the conservative government. Thus the confusion of Europe will be most complete.

The Frankfort Gazette says it will be a miracle if Austria and Russia are not drawn into the struggle.

The Cologne Gazette says it is convinced that the Turks will be driven from Europe.

VIENNA, Nov. 15.—The newspapers here express the hope that the Servia-Bulgarian war will be localized; but they admit that Russia's interests are opposed to those of Austria. Austria, they say, is bound to support Servia, while Russia is inclined to run Bulgaria, as is evident from the fact that she had permitted the exportation of 18,000,000 cartridges from Tula to Bulgaria, having hitherto prohibited their shipment.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—Journal de St. Petersburg hints that England, by delaying the meeting of the Balkan conference, is responsible for the outbreak of war between Servia and Bulgaria.

EDINBURGH, Nov. 17.—West Calder is to-day handsomely decorated in honor of the visit of the Hon. Mr. Gladstone. Great enthusiasm prevails and crowds of people line the streets. Mr. Gladstone arrived at 3 30 p. m., and a delegation of the newly enfranchised electors presented him with an address, which was received with tremendous cheers and unbounded enthusiasm. When Mr. Gladstone entered the hall to deliver his second speech of the parliamentary campaign, it was literally packed with people who had been there for over two hours.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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ALL UNPAID BILLS AGAINST THE STEAMers "Teaser" and "Adelaide" must be left at the office of Eberts & Taylor, Langley street, on or before November 30th, 1885.
CAPT. HENRY MOORE,
no18*2w Per WM. MOORE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE STEAMers "Teaser" and "Adelaide" for freight or passage, etc., are warned not pay any bill or part of bills to Turner, Beeton & Co., until a receiver be appointed.
CAPT. HENRY MOORE,
no18*2w Per WM. MOORE.

NOTICE.

THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM MOORE,

PRIOR TO ASSIGNMENT OF 18TH MAY, 1880, are hereby requested to meet at the office of the undersigned on TUESDAY, the 24th inst., at 8 p. m., when a final dividend will be declared and a general statement of the affairs of the estate will be given by the trustees.
no18 E. CROW BAKER, Secretary.

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W. S. GORE,
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BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 17th inst., the wife of Henry Saunders, of a daughter.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

G. BYRNES will sell at 11 o'clock, on the premises, Princess avenue, Furniture, etc.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.

Supposed that the Chinaman was Poisoned Instead of Murdered.

(Special to The Colonist.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 17.

At 5 p. m. the barometer is standing at 29.30 and the wind rising fast. A heavy gale is expected during the night. The coroner's inquest on the body of a Chinaman who died here last week was adjourned until 17th December, to allow of an analysis of the stomach. It is thought death resulted from poison and not from the effect of a blow from the stone.

Personal.

Wm. R. McCarter, one of the passengers saved from the Algoma wreck, is from Meaford, where he formerly had an interest in the Monitor newspaper. Mr. McCarter was on his way to British Columbia with a neighbor named Wm Mulligan, who was going there to settle. Mr. Mulligan is on the list of those lost.

Mr. R. E. Green, New Westminster; T. E. Curtis and wife, Spokane Falls, are at the Driard.

Mr. F. W. Bert, wife and son, and members of the Bert dramatic company, are at the Driard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Carmichael and Mrs. Rudlin arrived down on the Amelia yesterday.

Hon. Justice Crease was a passenger by the Amelia yesterday from Nanaimo.

Dr. Walkem and Major Downie arrived yesterday from Nanaimo.

Officer Kirkup and six witnesses in the Kelly murder case arrived from the mainland yesterday.

Messrs. D. M. Eberts, J. B. Brophy, C. E., and W. Charles arrived on the Louise yesterday.

Capt. Insley and Mr. T. Mowat, arrived from New Westminster yesterday.

Mr. Geo. W. Traver, the leading real estate agent in Tacoma is in the city, and will remain a few days.

Mr. R. Cunningham, of Skeena river, arrived down yesterday and is at the Occidental.

Geo. Hope Johnston, Dominion magistrate at Farwell, arrived down yesterday and with several other witnesses in the "Bulldog" Kelly murder case is registered at the Oriental.

John C. Vermilzee, Lulu island, Rev. S. Mackay and Capt. Stewart, New Westminster, are registered at the Occidental.

"Roaring Jim McCaulay, Kilmoke," is the name of a guest registered at the Oriental.

Fatal Accident.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 17.—Last Thursday a man named William Hill, formerly of Bismarck, Ontario, and lately on Wark's farm, Langley Prairie, while out hunting, was accidentally killed. When the body was found yesterday it was lying on one side of the log and his rifle on the opposite side. The supposition is that while the deceased was walking on the log he slipped and the trigger of the gun striking the log the contents were discharged, entering at the neck. Death was probably instantaneous. The body will be taken to Ontario for burial.

SUPREME COURT.—Upon application yesterday by Mr. S. P. Mills, acting for the Songish Indians, a continuation of the interim injunction was granted restraining the contractors for the Dominion government from proceeding with the erection of immigrant sheds on the reservation. Mr. R. E. Jackson (Drake & Jackson) watched the case for the Dominion, deputy attorney-general for the provincial government and Mr. T. Fell for the building contractors.

SUPPOSED DROWNING.—Capt. Murphy, built the sloop Sea Lion some years ago and has employed her in the cordwood trade. Since she was blown ashore the other side of Race rocks last Tuesday night unavailing search has been made by Pilots Thompson and McAllister for her master and owner, Captain Murphy. It is possible, but hardly probable, that he escaped with his life.

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WHITE FEMALE SERVANTS.

The Initiative Taken by the Anti-Chinese Association.

A Proposition that Should be Generally Accepted.

TO THE EDITOR:—In your issue of Nov. 7th, "Paterfamilias" says that he is surprised in all this outcry against the Chinese there was nothing said about girls taking the place of the Chinese as household servants. In that particular he is in error. As long ago as last July the Anti-Chinese Union made an earnest effort in that direction and appealed to the Women's Christian Temperance Union for them to take the matter in hand as the central committee of the anti-Chinese union felt they were the best qualified to handle the subject in a satisfactory manner, and a committee was appointed to present them with an address (a copy of which is enclosed.) As long as there was any hope that they would act we could not move any further in the matter. Now they having declined to do anything at present (although a number of the active workers of that body felt its importance, and were very desirous to carry out the suggestions of the committee) the central committee are prepared to do their utmost to supply the necessary help to replace the Chinese and take this opportunity to ask the aid and co operation of all citizens willing to assist. Any donations will be gladly received, or as the girls will repay the money, the committee will thankfully accept any loans that may be made to the fund which will be kept exclusively for the object for which it is subscribed, the amounts received and expended published from time to time. As the committee will only bring those girls out who can furnish sufficient testimonials of good character, we cannot take them from their homes without having places secured beforehand for them to come to, we therefore request those who are desirous of getting white girls to send to the officers of the anti Chinese union a written application pledging themselves to take the girls when they arrive, also stating the service required and the wages paid. All the members of the central committee are authorized to receive subscriptions to the fund, and the following officers of the union will receive applications from those who desire white girls: G. Powell, vice-president, Yates street; R. T. Williams, treasurer, Broad street, foot of View; W. A. Calhoun, secretary, Fort street; Thos. Haughton, Manchester House, Yates street.

By order of the central committee of the A. C. U.

JOHN M. DUVAL,
President.

ADDRESS

OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE ANTI CHINESE UNION APPOINTED TO CONFER WITH THE LADIES OF THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

Mrs President and Ladies:—

The subject of Chinese immigration, and their continued residence amongst us appears to be entirely foreign to the objects of this organization; and yet I think that even a cursory view of the question will soon convince any thinking mind, not only of its vast importance, but also of its direct connection with the work in which the W. C. T. U. are engaged. In fact one branch of the Chinese question seems to me to belong specially to the union. I will, therefore, endeavor to give, as briefly as possible, my views on the bearings of the Chinese on our national, moral and social life.

To look at this subject from a national standpoint, we find that the larger European nations are swallowing up the smaller, and they are striving by every means in their power to increase their military strength, until at present Europe is one vast military camp. How is Britain—encompassed by the sea—to increase her strength, to enable us to enjoy the priceless blessing of liberty, bequeathed to us by our forefathers? With the British isles densely populated, a large number are compelled yearly to leave her shores, forced by circumstances to seek abroad the chance of improving their condition, which the pressure of home renders extremely difficult, if not well nigh impossible. Under such circumstances, to depend upon Britain maintaining her position unaided would seem to be, at least a very difficult problem; and it appears to be only a question of time (if the defence of the empire is to be left to the British isles) when its existence as a nation, its liberties and its civilization will be a thing of the past.

British statesmen seem to have grasped the situation centuries ago, and provided the means whereby the strength of the nation might not only keep pace with that of others, but vastly to outgrow them, by means of her colonies, which should not only absorb her own surplus but also draw largely from the European nations. During the infancy of the various colonies they were kept under the direct control of the crown. As they increased in population and strength they were granted the boon of self-government and upon them then devolved the responsibility of ruling their own households well. Not only to study their immediate financial interests, but also that they might add to the material strength and prosperity of the empire as the colonies have been planted in sparsely settled, or entirely unoccupied countries, one of the first requisites is population. But in securing population the first question that arises is quality.

To have a large undesirable class of immigrants is a source of weakness instead of strength, particularly so when they prevent those coming among us who would have a deep interest in aiding us to develop the resources of the province, and every man (or woman) loving his native land, having one spark of patriotism in his breast, should strive to obtain immigrants from amongst his own kindred, thousands of whom would joyfully make their homes with us if the opportunity were offered them. Instead of bringing in an alien race who only tarry with us for a time and then return with their earnings to their native land, we should have those whose language, hopes and interests would be in accordance with our own.

Every Anglo-Saxon added to our population becomes an industrial factor contributing to our advancement, and in turn making it possible for another to find a place among us, while every Mongolian, on the other hand, displaces a white man or woman, makes the province a less desirable place for a white immigrant to come to, thus proving a source of ever increasing weakness; and it would only be a question of time—if allowed to go on unchecked—when they would displace the white man altogether. I may be charged with taking an extreme view, but it is fair to judge the future by the light of the past. We have the history of nations of antiquity to guide us.

I will not weary you by too lengthy quotations, but I will simply draw your attention to imperial Rome. So long as the pride, independence and martial valor of the laboring classes were kept alive, so long she maintained her proud position; but when, from long-continued success and accumulated wealth, the senators and privileged class looked down on those who, they thought, were inferior beings, and gradually ground them down to a servile place, and stamped out their national order, she was no longer able to withstand the shock, and went down before the Goths and Vandals like a snow-bank before a mid-summer sun. There is no such thing as standing still—we must go on, or we commence to go back. The student of history can find abundant cause for reflection, and plainly see the rocks and shoals where others have foundered.

National crimes bring national punishment. Britain began the inhuman traffic in human blood, and she was fortunate in being able to compromise the offence by paying twenty million pounds sterling to liberate the negroes of the West Indies. The United States continued the abominable traffic, and it cost them three-quarters of a million of lives and an immense amount of treasure. When God gave to Israel the promised land he commanded them to destroy the inhabitants of Palestine; but they, in their wisdom, made a covenant with the Gideonites, and God declared that the Gideonites and their children should remain as thorns in their sides and as a snare unto them; and they were continually leading the children of Israel to seek after false gods, until God in his anger drove them out of the promised land and they disappeared from among the nations.

With such examples before us, is it wise for us to encourage an alien people to come among us who have no affinity with us or our institutions, but whose habits, customs and language are so radically different from our own that there can be no affiliation; neither is it desirable that there should; for the strength of a nation depends on its working class; and any element that has a tendency to degrade mentally, morally or physically the mass of the people should be avoided, although we might gain a temporary advantage from its use. But, great as the injury undoubtedly would be to our national prosperity, how much greater would be its injurious influence upon our social and moral advancement!

The closing of the avenues of labor in our province to women throws society out of balance, as the men greatly outnumber the women, and as a consequence there is a large number of men who remain unmarried, which is certainly not conducive to good morals. And there is yet another view which is, to my mind, still more important, that is, the moral training of the young girls growing up in this community. I desire, in this matter, to be perfectly fair, and I think if we judge the Chinese by the same standard by which we judge our own race the charge of unfairness cannot be laid to our door.

In what well ordered home in the older provinces, or in the British Isles, would a mother have young men to discharge the duties of household servants, to the entire exclusion of females? With young girls growing up to womanhood—although they were of exceptionally good character and even united by ties of blood—would any thoughtful mother allow her daughter to run the risk of being contaminated by being exposed to temptation during the years that they require a mother's constant care and thoughtful attention? Such being the case, could you expect her to take into her household, men indiscriminately picked up, of whom she knows absolutely nothing? But in order to state the case truthfully, we must take the lowest to be found in our land, take them to a foreign country, separated for years from every virtuous woman of their own race, and associating daily, or rather nightly with their country-women, who had been brought there to lead a life of shame, and then take those men into your homes, to be constantly associated with your children, and expect to raise good virtuous women? Whose fault is it, if desolation and disgrace have come to many homes on this coast?

How long will it take to destroy all that is best and noblest in our national character? The young girls growing up are the future mothers of our land; if we do not keep the fountain pure, how can we expect to find the stream undefiled?

A mother's influence is never-ending; long after she has passed to her eternal rest, her influence remains. A good mother may have a wayward son, but when you see a good man it is almost a certainty that he had a good mother, and all that is good and noble in his character is a reflex of the pure and noble being that watched his early years and moulded his character.

How necessary then, if we are to continue to improve, or even to maintain our present standard, that we should watch those who are to be the mothers of coming generations? This view of the question presents so much food for thought and reflection that it is impossible, in the space at my disposal, to do it justice.

There are many here who would not employ Chinese if they could get white girls, but the prejudice against Chinese has so permeated society that white girls will not go into service if they can possibly get anything else to do, and it is to ask your assistance to overcome this difficulty that we are here this afternoon. Good, worthy, respectable girls can be procured in the eastern provinces, who would willingly come for the wages that are offered here for satisfactory servants; but in order to get girls of that character there must be a shield thrown around to protect them from slur or inuendoes, which can be done in no other way so completely and effectively as by the Women's Christian Temperance Union, and the nature of the organization is such as o tpeculiarly fit them to undertake the work. In the first place, they could ascertain what families would pledge themselves to take white girls when they arrived, and the particular work they would be required to perform. They could then, by means of the Women's Christian Temperance Union in other provinces, obtain just the kind of help required, and as they would be able to guarantee the girls (seeing that the recommendation of the various branches of the union would accompany them), they would be in a position to give mutual satisfaction. It would be necessary to raise a fund to pay the passage of the girls out from the east, but I do not think you would have any difficulty in raising the required amount, as the girls would repay the money in such amounts as might be agreed upon. And with your permission I will draw your attention to the effect it will have upon the work in which you are engaged.

You have found in the past that the vineyard is large and the laborers few. In getting girls from the east you would secure Christian Temperance girls. You would be able, in a short time, to bring a large number here, for the character of the help which you would be able to get would be so superior that it would be soon looked upon as a favor to get a girl with your recommendation; and I would ask you to think, for one moment: What would be the result of bringing into so many households an influence of such a nature?

The work, once established, could be kept up without much labor. Such girls as you would be able to secure would, in all probability, soon marry, carrying temperance principles into their homes. Their places would be taken by others, and you would have a constant, ever-increasing re-inforcement coming here to aid you—not only in temperance work, but in church work. Is it possible to measure the amount of good which must inevitably flow from such an addition to our population, carrying temperance principles broadcast through the province, and bringing within your influence many who cannot now be reached?

The individual is too apt to say, "What can I do? All that I can do will not amount to anything." To those I would say, "All that one can do is to do his duty." The coral islands of the Pacific, scientists tell us, are built up by the combined efforts of millions of exceedingly small insects. The labors of each individual can scarcely be seen, but collectively they build up, out of the depths of the sea, islands which in time delight the eye of the traveler with their beauty and verdure. So also the progress of the nation is but the collective result of the labors of each individual; and each one is only responsible for the use he makes of his talents, whether he has ten or only one, and none can tell how much he may be able to accomplish if he brings to his work that singleness of purpose and devotion to duty which is absolutely necessary to success.

A very small boy may sometime start a conflagration of which no one can see the end, and may not our effort contribute somewhat to make this province, with its magnificent climate and boundless resources, to blossom as the rose?

Victoria Theatre.

Bert's dramatic company produced the "Red Pocket Book" last evening before a good house. The piece is divided into six acts, and the various situations and scenic effects are wonderful. The first act opens with the apartments of Mons. Fontaine, a banker, the character of the banker being being assumed by Mr. J C. Howard, who is especially adapted to the *role* and that of the Admiral in Act II. Mr. Geo. Wessells, as Mons. La Farge, a villain of the deepest cast, played his part with such a degree of naturalness that the audience even seemed to loathe his actions as much as the characters in the play are represented to do. His part is not an easy one by any means and the manner in which he handled it proves him to be an actor of high merit. Mr. Chas. Barringer's Julian, Marquis de Mondelet, was a clever piece of acting, and in his pathetic parts he almost brought tears to the eyes of the audience. Miss Mabel Morris, a Victoria favorite, assumed the *role* of Clarisse de Ville in a manner decidedly creditable to her. Miss Chester gave a splendid rendition of Pierre, and kept the audience in roars of laughter whenever she appeared. Mrs. F. W. Bert, as Marie, was very true to the character, and Miss Lillian Owen's Ninon scored a success. Mr. Paul Craig, as Jean Brillo, servant of Fontaine, did justice to the part, especially in the drunken scene were La Large is endeavoring to extract the secret of the hidden red pocketbook. Space will not permit us to comment further upon the play and the actors concerned in it, but suffice it to say that the company is an excellent one and should be patronized. To-night the play will be repeated, and on Thursday evening will be produced for the first time in a number of years "The Banker's Daughter." Seats should be secured early.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—At 3 o'clock yesterday morning Officer Walker noticed a man on Yates street acting rather suspiciously in front of the Pritchard House. The fellow, after looking well about, entered the side door and with a number of keys attempted entrance to several rooms. At this juncture the officer arrested him. His name is Frank Davis, a confirmed opium-smoker, and in the police court yesterday he was remanded for the purpose of obtaining further evidence.

FOSSILS.—Mr. H. Saunders, Johnson street, received by the Boscowitz yesterday from Mr. Dempster, Skeena river, two pretty specimens of petrified ferns and mosses. One is about a foot long, on which is a clearly defined ordinary fern, while the other is covered with several varieties of mosses, the delicate branches being in a perfect state. They are very choice specimens.

RETURNED TO PRISON.—Sheriff Billings, of Olympia, W. T., yesterday escorted Frank Angelo, the escaped convict, on board the Olympian, bound for the Washington territory penitentiary. Angelo was convicted for having stabbed another man, with intent to murder, to seven years' imprisonment.

AN OLD CLERGYMAN.—Rev. W. M. Stewart, who died yesterday at the residence of his son-in-law, Dr. Spinning, at Summer and Pierce county, was 92 years old. He formerly resided at Semiahmoo, and was a Corgregational minister.—*Port Townsend Argus.*

NAVAL CONCERT.—The crew of H. M. S. Wild Swan will to-morrow evening give a concert in the sail loft at Esquimalt, to which all friends are invited. It is contemplated in the near future to give a dramatic or concert performance in the theatre in aid of the charitable institutions of the city.

DEMOLITION.—The work of demolishing the old frame buildings at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets has commenced. Messrs. Kelly & Coughlan will erect on the site a four-story building.

ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES in Dress Fabrics will be found at the

LONDON HOUSE,
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ISLAND STONE.—Mr. Bennett, resident engineer of the drydock, has had a number of blocks of Island granite and sandstone, prepared for shipment to the Colonial exhibition to be held in London in 1886.

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Arrival of the Boscowitz.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz, Capt. Williams, arrived in port at 1 o'clock yesterday morning after a stormy passage. The following passengers and freight were on board: Mr. and Mrs. G. Wynne, Mrs. R. E. Wooda, J. Cuthbert, W. Sinclair, R. Cunningham, Geo. Kenny, E. C. Stephens, D. French, J. Moffat, R. H. Wood, Betalle la Fore, C. Sund, J. W. Johnson, J. Fraser, J. H. Pashley, J. N. Bocolen, F. Merritt, F. Brentzen, J. Clayton, Thos. Scales, Capt. W. Gilbert, two Chinamen and two Indians. The freight consisted of a large quantity of oil from Skidegate, about 32 tons of salt salmon, 180 barrels from R. Cunningham; also, oil, furs and 6,200 feet of lumber. Mr. Cunningham brought down three live bears. J. Clayton had on board two tons of Bella Coola potatoes and six tons of furs and oils. McDowell, McNeill & McDowell sent 66 cases of fresh clams—their first shipment from Bella Bella. The Hudson Bay Company had a small shipment of furs and oil, and several small shipments of furs and about 10,000 feet of lumber came from Rivers Inlet.

THE LORNE CREEK MINES

have closed for the winter. The result for the season's work has been unsatisfactory to nearly all concerned, though a few claims have paid more than wages. The number who will return next year will be very small. Old man Snow, well-known all over the northwest coast, not only as a miner but as a stretcher of results, reported just before the steamer left that in the last few days he was in Kitsum Kalum he had taken out 22 ounces in six days.

The steamer Bonita was passed on Saturday last, Sunday in Queen Charlotte Sound, and the steamer Teaser on Sunday in Johnson Straits, the former bound for Alaska, the latter on a voyage of discovery.

The purser, Capt. Jaggers, brought down in his care about $4,000 in gold dust.

Temperance at Saanich.

Inclement weather prevented a very large attendance, especially of the ladies, at a meeting held by the Blue Ribbon club in the North Saanich school-house Saturday evening last.

At the appointed hour President Thomson opened the meeting with an excellent address, in which he stated that the sale of liquor in North Saanich was completely stopped, and he wished that the brethren from the South could make as favorable a report.

On motion a committee was appointed to ascertain, if possible, from what source the Indians are being supplied with liquor, and report the same to the club, when proper steps will be taken to stop the illegal sale.

The secretary read a circular from the Women's Christian Temperance Union, requesting the appointment of delegates to attend a general temperance convention at Victoria about the middle of December. It was decided to leave the appointment open until the next meeting, to be held at Agricultural hall the following Saturday.

The question asked by T. Roberts, "Is there a Sunday law, and if so is it in the province of the Blue Ribbon club to attempt the enforcement of it in this district?" was discussed with considerable animation. Some maintained that the sole object of the society is the restriction of the liquor traffic, which gained them sufficient enemies without reaching beyond; while others thought that anything which had a tendency to elevate the moral standard of the community is in perfect accord with the duties of the club.

Lengthy addresses were delivered by Mr. J. Sluggett and Mr. T. Roberts, and many important points in the temperance question were dwelt upon. Brief remarks were made by Messrs. P. Imrie, J. Brethour and D. R. Kerr. Amusing songs were sung by Messrs. Bull, J. W. Sluggett, T. Greig and W. Greig, all being highly appreciated, as shown by the liberal applause given. The secretary gave a recitation, and the choir sang several suitable selections, of which the last, entitled "Good Night," brought a very successful meeting to a close—not, however, before some new names were added to the list.

From Omineca.

Messrs. Geo. Kenney and E. C. Stevens arrived on the Boscowitz yesterday from the Omineca country, and are at the Oriental. The former gentleman states that the output for the season is about the same per man as that of the previous year, averaging wages, some more, others less.

There was a lesser number of miners on the various gold bearing creeks emptying into the Omineca river this year than formerly, a number having gone to Lorne creek during the excitement there. About 40 whites, Indians and Chinese have been at work this season, but it is expected that these will be largely increased next year, owing to the almost total failure of Lorne creek.

Mr. Kenney has been on Manson creek since 1871, mining and trading, and left that point on 18th October last.

THE STONE MAN.—The notorious stone man was yesterday removed to the customs warehouse on Wharf street. He has not changed in appearance since his confinement, and made no objection to the change in quarters. It is stated that the legs are now in the city awaiting the turning up of a searcher after antiquities.

THE auction sale of liquors and groceries by J. P. Davies & Co. on the 16th inst. was the largest and most successful of the season. Buyers were present from all parts of the country and the prices obtained were very good.

HEAVY GALE.—A heavy gale was reported south of the line last night. Both wires went down about 8 o'clock, and the glass was very low.

THE Pioneer Society will hold their annual dinner at the Pacific Telegraph Hotel on Saturday evening, December 5th.

A NICE dwelling house on Pandora street, for sale by R. Lipsett, Real Estate Broker, Government street. *

RAND BROS., Real Estate Brokers, have removed to their new office in Galpin's block, Fort street. †

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ILL.—Minister of Justice Thompson is seriously ill at Ottawa.

THE Dominion parliament is to be called for January 21st.

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THE TEASER.

The Little Steamer Has Unaccountably Disappeared.

The steamer Teaser which has for over a year past plied between this city and New Westminster, Capt. W. Moore, commanding, on Friday last cleared for Roche harbor, San Juan, and has not yet reappeared. It is rumored that owing to the near approach of reckoning day on a mortgage held by Turner, Beeton & Co. on the steamer, some of the parties financially interested have spirited her away, and she is now probably riding at anchor in the arctic regions. The last news from her was when the Barbara Boscowitz passed her in Johnstone straits when the two saluted.

The departure of the Teaser from Turner, Beeton & Co.'s wharf was made when all the employés were absent from the dock, so it is not known who were on board.

What Some People Say.

That the house of a farmer at Bride, in the Kilkenny mountains, was visited by a party of "moonlighters," but the farmer and his sons seized the leader, deprived him of his gun, and caused the gang to retire, leaving their captain a prisoner.

That Michael Davitt has promised to personally assist Miss Helen Taylor in her contest for member of parliament for Camberwell.

That a grand skating carnival will be held at the Roller Skating Rink, Yates street, on Wednesday evening, the 18th inst., commencing at 7 o'clock. Price of admission, 25 cents; use of skates, 25 cents. n11-1wk

That go to Ferguson's and get the new Map of Coal Harbor, 25cts; View of Victoria and vicinity, $1; Illustrated British Columbia, 25cts; Map of British Columbia, 50cts; 3rd door south of Postoffice. *

That Mr. Walter Rye, in his just published history of Norfolk, England, traces the noble name of Howard to Hogward, and of Bulwer to Bullward, signifying that the founders of the families were swineherds and herdsmen.

That at the German naval port of Wilhelmshaven, on the North sea, a number of laborers who were engaged in cleaning the iron hull of a steamer ate the mussels clinging thereto. The consequence was that nineteen of the men were taken violently ill with unmistakable symptoms of poisoning, and in the course of a few hours four of them died.

That the proper thing now to do is to advertise in *The Colonist Annual.* *

That the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York, total assets over $105,000,000, has now made a deposit in conformity with the Dominion laws, and issues policies on the new five year distribution, endowment and other plans. Messrs. H. F. HEISTERMAN & Co. are the agents for British Columbia, who will be happy to furnish all necessary information. *

That those of the "Pirates" who have not already given Hall & Lowe sittings will greatly oblige them by doing so not later than the 17th of November. *

THAT YOU CAN GET FROM VICTORIA TO PORTLAND FOR $2 BY BUYING EASTERN THROUGH TICKETS FROM ROBT. IRVING, AGENT O. R. & N. CO., WHARF ST. oc-13-1m.

That an ocean steamer lately took out to New Zealand a consignment of bumble bees. At present clover does not seed in that country, because there are no bumble bees to fertilize the flowers. The importer hopes that the bumble bees will save him $5,000 a year in clover seed.

That a broken down New York millionaire had his daughter's Saratoga trunks partitioned off and now rents them in flats. He is stated to be rapidly regaining his vanished wealth.

That A. McLEAN & Co's SCOTCH HOUSE, (Established 1862), VICTORIA, B. C., have the BEST appointed clothing store north of San Francisco, and have received a choice assortment of MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING, UNDER CLOTHING, SHIRTS, HATS, HOSIERY, UMBRELLAS AND WATERPROOF GOODS from the best ENGLISH, SCOTCH and DOMINION MARKETS which they offer at the smallest possible advance on cost, to make room for large shipments on the way. *

That with regard to Riel's execution, he said a few days before his execution, that if hanged, he would rise again from the dead after three days, but he added he would prefer living, as he did not want God to go to the trouble of raising him from the dead.

That dull and cloudy weather makes no difference to us. Pictures taken equally well in any kind of weather. HALL & LOWE, leading photographers, Government street. *

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THE BURGH MURDER.—R. Proctor was again before the police magistrate yesterday, the evidence read over to him, and the prisoner sent up for trial. He declined making any statement. The evidence is altogether of a circumstancial character, and chiefly against the man Craine, who, it is hoped, will soon be secured. Other evidence, it is expected, will arrive on the next return trip of the Boscowitz.

MAINLAND FREIGHT.—Per steamer Princess Louise: Parker & Co., 100 sacks of wheat and 52 bales of hay; Welch, Rithet & Co., 1,883 cases, 169 barrels and 210 half barrels salmon; Guttman & Frank, 186 hides; Thomas Earle, 36 dry hides.

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NEUTRAL GROUND.

Movement for the Neutrality of Unoccupied Islands.

BOSTON, Nov. 13.—A special to the Advertiser from Washington says that an important diplomatic move to secure the neutrality of the islands of the Pacific, so far as they are not possessed by the continental powers, is on foot, which contemplates a disregard to Spain's sovereignty over any island upon which she has not established and maintained her colonies. Regarding this in opportune time, in view of apprehensions caused last summer by the Carolines affair, the Hawaiian authorities have lately directed the Hawaiian minister to this country to propose a plan to the United States, England, France, Holland, Germany and Spain for the settlement of this question. It is proposed that the Sandwich Islands, which possesses great influence in other islands, be allowed to send a commissioner to unite them into a local representative government, whose integrity shall be guaranteed by the powers. The contracting powers would then send consuls to the islands to protect their respective interests. In this way the islands will be kept forever open to commerce and neutral in any wars that my hereafter arise. The scheme as outlined has been the subject of several consultations between Minister Carter and Secretary Bayard. The latter heartily endorses it, and with this endorsement Minister Carter will sail for Europe to-morrow on a mission to the nations mentioned. He has laid the matter before the ministers at Washington of the countries named and in every case their answers have been favorable.

Queen Victoria's Eccentricities.

In the Greville memoirs just published there are many representations of the early days of Her Majesty's reign in which is shown her youthful love of simplicity, her enjoyment of the open air, and the extreme quietude of her taste. A pretty little story is told of her answer to the Duchess of Gloucester when the Duchess asked her whether she would not feel nervous when she made her court declaration of engagement to Prince Albert. "Yes," Queen Victoria answered; "but I did a much much more nervous thing a while ago." "What was that?" "I proposed to Prince Albert." Not so pretty is the account given of the anger of Her Majesty when she was out of touch with Lord Palmerston. The way in which she fell upon Lord Clarendon, being supported by Prince Albert in demanding a share of personal government, was by no means so dignified as the most we have heard of Her Majesty's ordinary conduct. There is a great deal of fun, however, in the incidents connected with the birth of the Prince of Wales. The Queen wanted a coat of arms for him before he was out of long clothes. "This foolish business," says Mr. Greville, "of the coat of arms had cost more trouble than many matters a thousands times more important. Peel has had to write a least a dozen long letters about that and the alteration in the Liturgy, and whether His Royal Highness should be inserted before Prince of Wales. Yesterday, Wharncliffe, Graham and I had a conference at the home office, when Graham produced a letter from Peel, with one from the Queen to him, pressing him for the speedy arrangement of the affair, and treating it as a thing settled. Graham said it was not worth while to squabble about it, and better to gratify her, he proposed to take it on himself, and let the council have nothing to do with it, but, on his own responsibility, order the Earl Marthal to draw out a coat of arms, with the achievement according to her wishes, no matter whether right or wrong. We agreed this was the best way. Peel had written to me about the Liturgy, and I wrote him word that when Prince Albert's name was inserted, the Archbishop particularly desired there might be no "Royal Highness," and so it was left out." There is much more of the same kind about the Queen and her Court. Remembering what revelations were possible in regard to previous courts we, for our part, can only feel thankful that all Mr. Greville's cynicism found no food to feed upon in watching the life surrounding our present Sovereign.

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ALEX. COWAN, Assignee.
Victoria, B. C., 16th Oct., 1885. oc17 d1&wtd

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JNO. ROBSON,
oc22 1m Provincial Secretary.

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NOTICES.

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Victoria, Nov. 9th, 1885 no10

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE CHIEF Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following lands:—Commencing at a post on the north bank of Gold Creek, Big Bend, Kootenay District, five chains below the crossing of the Seymour Trail from La Porte to French Creek; thence northerly 30 chains to post 2; thence easterly (crossing McCulloch's Creek) 50 chains; thence southerly 40 chains; thence westerly 50 chains, following the meanderings of Gold Creek to the place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less.

JAMES GRAY.
Gold Creek, 17th Sept., 1885. se25

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate in Rayward District, described as follows.—Commencing at a point 160 chains, more or less southwest of W. Powers' south-west corner, thence running due north 80 chains; thence due west 80 chains; thence due south 80 chains, and thence east 80 chains to point of commencement

W. L. McDONALD.
Victoria, B. C., 23d September, 1885. se24

ESTATE OF MARTHA JENKINSON, DECEASED

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the above Estate are requested to hand them in to the undersigned.

CHAS. W. JENKINSON,
Executor.
Victoria, 14th Aug., 1885. au15 3m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICAtion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, at its next session, by and on behalf of the settlers and owners of land situate at and upon the Matsqui Prairie, upon the Fraser River, for the passage of an Act for the relief of the said settlers and owners from the provisions of the "Sumass Dyking Act, 1878," and its amendment of 1883, and to annul and declare forfeited all rights and powers heretofore conferred by the said Act and amendment upon E. L. Derby, or his assigns, to collect assessments or interest from the applicants and to repeal such Act and amendment so far as they are concerned.

Matsqui, March 6th, 1885. mh8td

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will not be responsible for any debt incurred by any person assuming to act for him, unless specially authorized (by writing signed by him) to incur the same.

A. ONDERDONK,
Yale, B.C
June 4th, 1885. je6tf

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED THE International Hotel at Esquimalt, formerly conducted by S. Jones, will continue the business in their own names. This Hotel is first-class in every respect—new buildings and furnishings throughout.

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER made by Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, C. J., dated 14th September, 1885, I have been appointed Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of Reginald Heber Pidcock, of Comox, Vancouver Island, B. C.

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Plumper Pass	7 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	7 A.M.	.....
Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody	.....	8 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chilliwhack & Way Landings..	7 A.M.	.....	.....	.....	7 A.M.	.....

NOTE—Freight for Points in the Interior must be shipped via Port Hammond and Shippers are requested to mark weight on each package.

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THOMAS D. TIMS,
Provincial Inspector
For the Dominion of Canada.
New Westminster, B. C.,
3rd November, 1885. no19 1m

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

DELANEY VS. HARKER.

HAVING, BY ORDER OF THE HONORABLE Mr. Justice Crease, dated 2nd October, 1885, been appointed Receiver of the partnership property and effects of the firm of Delaney & Harker, I hereby give notice that all claims against the said firm are to be handed in to me forthwith, and all monies due to them are to be paid to me only.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
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ARTHUR EDWARD McCALLAM,
Maple Bank, Esquimalt, B.C.
October 25th, 1885. oc27w2m

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Arrives at St. Paul, Minn., at	12.30 p.m.

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Names.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
James Wallace	620	2,000	$20 00
do	621	2,000	20 00
do	623	1,000	10 00
do	625	500	5 00
do	6 6	500	5 00
do	627	500	5 00
do	6 8	136	1 36
do	843	500	5 00
do	844	500	5 00
do	845	500	5 00
do	846	500	5 00
do	847	500	5 00
do	849	500	5 00
do	850	500	5 00
M. M. Hagarty	182	10,000	100 00
do	183	1,000	10 00
do	184	1,000	10 00
do	186	1,000	10 00
do	187	1,000	10 00
do	188	1,000	10 00
do	189	1,000	10 00
do	190	1,000	10 00
S. W. Wells	1222	100	1 00
W. T. Jarvis	701	8,018	80 18
Walter Trounce	515	500	5 00

And in accordance with law, so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Secretary's Office, Quesnelle, B. C., on the 30th day of November, 1885, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, to pay said delinquent assessment thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

W. A. JOHNSON, Secretary,
Quesnelle, B.C.
Quesnelle, B.C., 30th Oct., 1885 no7dw2w

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NOTICE
In Re ROBERT NEWELL, Deceased.

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JESSE COWPER,
oc7 6w Executor of Robert Newell, deceased.

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THAT BY ORDER OF COURT, DATED 16TH September, 1885, I have been appointed Receiver of the Estate, Effects and Credits of URIAH NELSON, now or formerly of Yale, Merchant.

All persons indebted to the said URIAH NELSON or who have any of his effects (not held by virtue lien or as security), are forthwith to pay or deliver the same to me and to no one else.

Dated the 16th September, 1885.

HARVEY COMBE.
REGISTRAR'S OFFICE,
County Court,
James Bay. se17tf

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